

GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

State of Maryland }
County of Baltimore } ss.

In the matter of Penion claim
Personally came before me, a Phila. Whiting, Jr. & Co. 30th Regt. Cavalry, 1st
and State, aged 48 years, in and for aforesaid County

and citizen of the County of Baltimore, State of Maryland, well known to me to be reputable and entitled to credit, and who, being duly sworn, declare in relation to aforesaid case, as follows:

That defendant has made diligent effort to obtain the affidavit of defendant who treated him in the same, but owing to the great period made the events referred to he finds himself unable to do it and the present whereabouts of the defendant as unknown, defendant is also unable to obtain an officer's affidavit but submit to him that of the testimony of credible comrades which he hopes may be accepted.

I further declare that I have no interest in said case, and am not concerned in its prosecution.

1 *Wm. McEggy*
2 *Chas. X. Steiner*
Signature of Affiants.

Note.—In the execution of papers and evidence, whenever a person or witness signs by mark (+), two persons who can write must attest the signature by signing their names opposite.
The official before whom papers are executed is not a competent witness to a mark.